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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on October 12, 2006 and in accordance with Rules 142 and 143 of the Rules of Practice, please enter and consider the following Remarks. This Response is accompanied by a Petition for Extension of Time, requesting that the time Period for responding to the Office Action be extended for a period of <u>one</u> (1) month, from <u>November 12, 2006</u> up to and including <u>December 12, 2006</u>. Please charge our Credit Card in the amount of \$60.00 covering the Extension of Time fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1). Should the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office determine that any additional fees is required and/or that any refund is owed for this application, then the Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge the required fee(s) and/or credit the refund(s) due to Deposit Account No. 04-0100 of the Applicants' undersigned attorneys/agents.

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